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If the item you want to see is not in this paper it is your fault.

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We Fill Orders Personally

so as to be sure they are correctly supplied. Here you will find no mistakes made, so we never have to apologize for errors or delays in the delivery of goods. Busy households recognize the comfort and convenience of doing business with us, in consequence; and as we pride ourselves upon the high quality of all our groceries, and price them with a view to small profit, there is little wonder that we lead all rivals in the amount of business transacted.



Phone 197.

KEEP YOUR EYE ON OUR WINDOWS. COOPER'S GROCERY.

JIM HARMON, Manager.

Full Car Load Stoves

THAT MUST BE SOLD BEFORE THE HOLIDAYS.

We have heating stoves from \$2.50 to \$33.00, and cook stoves and ranges from \$16.00 to \$45.00. We have the best stovepipe and elbows you ever saw at 10c. It is not junk. The Rullman and Vacuum Washing Machines, that a ten-year-old child can operate. And 10,000 other things that are kept in a first class hardware store.

Yours for business,

E. M. MICHENER.

THE PEARL

For Bargains again this week. We don't lead, for we don't want to be dragged into a hole, but we handle the nicest line of staple goods in town, and deliver the goods. Will give you a few prices for Saturday.

Granulated sugar 18 pounds	\$1.00
Cranberries, per quart	5c
Best Dry Salt Meat, per pound	16c
3 Pounds Lard Compound	25c
New Sauer Kraut, per gallon	25c
New Pancake Flour, 3 pkgs	25c
Big Nice New Pickles, per doz	15c

Best line of Coffee in Town. Our store will stand inspection. Please give us a trial order, it will convince you. Best prices paid for Butter and Eggs. Phone orders promptly attended to.

J. B. KIRKENDOLL.

Grant Waggoner had business in Columbus Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Rehm spent last Friday shopping in Joplin.

Mrs. Lee Allen's Sunday school class gave a delightful party at the home of the teacher Saturday evening. Games and music were indulged in and delicious refreshments were served.

Have you seen our Navajo blankets, night robes and mackinaws? Have one laid away for his Christmas present. See our window. J. M. Cooper & Co.

Miss Eunice Barrett was a Columbus visitor Saturday.

Mrs. L. H. Watts of Kansas City is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Morris Doty in this city.

Shutters Bros. who used to run the Frisco restaurant, have returned and bought the place back. They will remodel and fix it up, and may decide to build a hotel out at the Frisco depot.

Election day excitement was somewhat rare. There was a big scrap, but no disorder anywhere in the county.

Businss is Good.

Our business is growing right along. We attribute this fact to our low price, good store service and prompt delivery.

12 bars soap	25c
5 gallon best coal oil	35c
Coffee from	12 1/2c to 30c
4 pounds ginger snaps	25c
Dunwoody's bran, at store \$1.15, delivered	\$1.20

Pratt's poultry and stock food at just half price.

Buy your fruits from us.

People's Grocery.

T. P. LEWIS.

The Election.

At the time this was written (Wednesday forenoon) it appears that Dunbar has beaten Sapp for judge; that Ralph Martin has beaten Barrick for sheriff; that Land has beaten Hull for county clerk; that Hiller has beaten Reeves for treasurer; that Ellis has beaten Jackson for probate judge; that Boss has beaten Tracewell for county attorney; that Fail has beaten Nice for district clerk; that Capper has been elected governor; that the race between Neeley and Curtis for United States senator is close; that McGinley and Campbell are running close for congressman from this district.

Waggoner has beaten Armstrong for representative from this district.

Murdock for United States senator, on the Progressive ticket, got 104 votes in Baxter, and Allen, Progressive for governor, got 102. Capper got 190 and Hodges 137.

The vote in Baxter on the county offices is as follows:

Hiller 199; Reeves 191. Murray 213; Orr 137. Hull 160; Land 203. Fail 240; Nice 134. Ellis 291; Jackson 115. Curtis 195; Murdock 104; Neely 107.

Boss 206; Tracewell 181. Sapp 171; Dunbar 246.

Mrs. Harvey of this city is undoubtedly elected for high school trustee.

Sale on Hats at GRACE PARLOR From \$2.00 to \$3.50

For Sale—A good Oliver typewriter. J. M. Hunter.

H. C. Stansfield of Wilson county is here visiting his father, W. H. Stansfield.

Chas. Hiller of Columbus was in Baxter last Saturday renewing acquaintances.

Alfred McClure is home from Seattle, Wash., where he has been for a long time.

John McKenzie was in this office last Saturday wearing a bouquet of apple blossoms. There was a good sized apple in the bunch, too.

Mrs. F. L. Hash left Friday morning for Northern Missouri, in response to a message announcing the serious illness of her father.

Tom Howard is building a big addition to his house out on Route 5. He is going to have one of the best residences in Lyon township when he gets it finished.

Mrs. W. W. Wyatt entertained her Sunday School class of junior boys, last Saturday afternoon. The little fellows had a fine time. Mrs. Wyatt served delicious refreshments.

Mrs. W. A. Douthit returned last Saturday from a week's stay in Kansas City, where she has been visiting her brother, who lives there. Also a brother who was there from Illinois and a sister from Indiana. Mrs. Douthit had not seen her sister for over seventeen years and no doubt the meeting was a joyous one.

The election just over proves that there must be a different line-up in the preparation of election booths. Not near enough booths were provided, and it was necessary to provide more in each ward. Then, too, the table in the booth is not large enough to spread the ballot on. It is only a board about eight inches wide. It should be at least two feet wide. In the Second and Third wards the polling places were not nearly large enough. In fact, they do not comply with the law at all as regards size. And it is our opinion that the law should be so changed that two sets of judges and clerks should be used in each precinct. By doing this, after 25 votes are cast, one set of judges and clerks could begin counting and count after each 25 votes had been cast, and then after the polls close there would be only 25 votes in each precinct to count. This thing of staying up all night to count a vote is wearing on the election board, and the voter, also, who wants the returns as quickly as possible.

Doty-Harmon.

Simple, impressive and beautiful was the wedding of Miss Grace Doty of this city and Mr. Leslie Burnley Harmon of Chattanooga, Tenn., solemnized last Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Doty.

The Rev. J. H. Hoopingarner of the Methodist Church read the impressive ring service. The ceremony was performed in the living room, where lovely roses and chrysanthemums were used in decorations, combined in artistic manner with ferns and palms. The bridal party stood in the bow window embrasure, which was massed with asparagus ferns, palms and roses. In the dining room, dahlias and roses were used.

The wedding cake imbedded in a mound of asparagus ferns and bride roses rested on the buffet. The dining room table held a basket of dahlias tied with white tulle.

The wedding music was played by Miss Helen Humphrey, niece of the bride, just before the vows were exchanged.

Lillie Ruth Abell of Kansas City, niece of the bride, wore a white lingerie frock and carried the ring.

The bride wore an exquisitely dainty white embroidered net gown. She wore pearls, her only ornament. The bride carried a single rose. Only members of the family and close friends were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Harmon left for Chattanooga, where they will be at home after Nov. 15th, 216 Cherry Street, Chattanooga. Out of town guests were Mrs. W. A. Abell and daughter, Ruth, and Mrs. L. H. Watts of Kansas City, sisters of the bride.

Burglary.

Some fellow broke into the meat market of McAboy and Co. last Saturday night and took about three dollars in small change, which had been left in the cash register.

The same night somebody tried to break into the back end of Polster Bros. dry goods store, but did not succeed. This is the second time within three weeks that an attempt has been made to break into this store.

St. Mark's Church.

On this Thursday evening at St. Mark's church, the Rev. Creighton Spencer, archdeacon of this diocese, will deliver a very interesting sermon. Everybody is invited to attend. Rev. Spencer is a very learned man, and his sermon will be very interesting.

Sale on Hats at GRACE PARLOR From \$2.00 to \$3.50.

\$10.00 Reward.

I will pay the above reward for evidence that will convict the parties who damaged property at my home place on the night of Oct. 31, 1914.

L. M. Perkins.

Keep Out.

Hunters are hereby notified that I will prosecute them if they hunt on my premises.

Alva Gaines.

Don't be in a Hurry

To pay your taxes. I will open my books in the State Bank Dec. 10, and keep them open until Jan. 1. B. W. Patton.

Mrs. McGuffin of Miami is here visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. A. Miles.

Thank heaven the election is over. If you don't like the result you can't help yourself, so you would as well get over it.

Carl Treece, aged eight years, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Treece, fell from the concrete footbridge near the high school building onto the solid rock below last Saturday afternoon, and received injuries which laid him up for several days. It is a wonder he was not killed, for he fell on his head and shoulders.

We Have Several

Bargains In New

And Second Hand

Pianos.

J. W. Grantham.



We will make you feel AT HOME. Come in.

Our bank is a member of the national FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM of banks which STAND TOGETHER to protect themselves and their depositors.

When your money is in our bank you can GET it when you WANT it.

Make OUR bank YOUR bank.

We pay interest on time deposits.

The Baxter National Bank.

Just Plain Folks

"Just good, plain, common folks." How often you hear the expression, and it's a pretty fair compliment too.

That's just what we strive to be at this bank. We do not permit any "frills." We are a part of the community, and we want you to feel that your interests are our interests. We haven't much use for people who "puts on airs." There's none of that around our bank, just good, plain, everyday business and accommodation. Come right in, you are welcome.

OURS IS THE ONLY BANK IN BAXTER SPRINGS IN WHICH DEPOSITS ARE GUARANTEED.

The Baxter State Bank.

Mrs. L. D. Brewster was a Columbus visitor Saturday.

The "As You Like It" Club met with Mrs. Ed. Polster Monday.

Miss Gladys Rising of Columbus is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Lee Allen, in this city.

Mrs. Arthur Garrett, who resides eight miles west of town, presented her husband with a fine boy Saturday.

Dr. M. I. Nichols received a crate of fine pigs from his tatter-in-law, W. W. Scott. They were sent by express from Columbus, Ga., and are fine-haired squealers, with an unpronounceable name of breed.

Jack Spratt, Notary Public.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Plumb have returned from Owatonna, Minn., where they made an extended visit. Mr. Plumb was brought home very ill. His condition is serious.

Clare Rehm had business in Ft. Scott last Friday.

Mrs. J. J. Fribley entertained the Music club Tuesday afternoon.

Deputy County Attorney Don Ellman had business in this city Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Paxson are back from a lengthy visit at their old home in Ohio.

Mrs. Mary Moore of Southwest City, Mo., visited last week with her sisters in Baxter, Mrs. Prather and Mrs. Norman.

R. P. Darnell has put all of his place to wheat except the horse lot, and we won't be surprised to see that go into a crop of some kind.

Election day was all that could be desired. The weather was warm and the sky was bright and clear. There was no good reason why a bigger vote should not have been polled.